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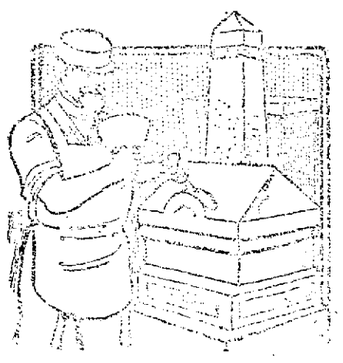

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PILLSBURY CAPTURED.

He Fails In Attempt To Gain Anchorage In Salem Harbor.

Confronted By A Vastly Superior Force, White Squadron Surrenders.

Mimic Naval Warfare Ends In A Victory For The Defending Fleet.

Rockport, Mass., August 24.—The naval search problem on the New England coast, was terminated at 5.40 this morning, by the signal, "Surrender demanded and unconditional," from Rear Admiral Higginson's flagship, and the reply, "Accept surrender," from the Prairie, Commander Pillsbury's flagship. The battle between the blue, or defending squadron, and the white or attacking squadron, was thus quickly ended, nine miles southerly from Thatcher's Island.

The enemy most signally failed to make harbor, having for its objective, Salem. A preponderence of fighting strength, relatively sixty-four points, represented by the battleships Kearsarge, Alabama and Massachusetts, the Scorpion and a torpedo boat, overwhelmed the twenty-five points represented by the auxiliary cruisers Prairie, Panther and Supply. To speak from a theoretic standpoint the white squadron was entirely destroyed by the guns of the defending battleships. Thus on the fourth night, the game of naval strategy was brought to an end.

The destruction of Commander Pillsbury's squadron occured at 5.40 o'clock this morning, just within the outer limits of Gloucester harbor, not over eight miles south of Thatcher's Island, off which had been anchored since Wednesday, the three battleships of the blue squadron. The surrounding and putting out of action of the squadron in charge of Commander Pillsbury was the culminating incident in one of the most interesting chapters in the peace history of the American navy.

For the placing in operation of the maneuvers of the warships off the coast, the navy had long prepared itself and this mimic war was the outcome of a belief that the rapidly growing navy should have some opportunity of engaging in practice in tactics and strategy in brief, with all the conditions of a state of war.

As planned by the naval authorities, two squadrons were to be put into the game, one the blue, the defending fleet, and the other the white, to be the hostile fleet, the latter to effect an anchorage in some unprotected port on the coast, opposed all the time by the first named fleet.

This anchorage had to be maintained against the defenders for a period of six hours.

Commander Pillsbury's white squadron consisted of the auxiliary cruisers Prairie, Panther and Supply. The two former boats were each assigned ten points of fighting strength, while the Supply was assumed to represented five points.

Admiral Higginson's fleet was actually superior in the number of its members, representing a grand total of ninety-seven points of strength. The Kearsarge, Alabama and Massachusetts were given twenty, the cruisers Brooklyn and Olympia eight each, the Cincinnati, Montgomery, Gloucester and Mayflower three points each, while a number of torpedo boats made up the remaining numbers.

To win in the mimic war, the blue squadron had to bring as attacking vessels, as it did early today, warships superior in combined assumed fighting power.

Each side had the right to capture individual craft of the other fleet by overcoming them in point of strength and the captured vessel had to retire. In the defeat of Pillsbury this morning, the defending fleet with the three warships, the Scorpion and the single torpedo boat, was valued at sixty-four points, so that the balance was against the attacking squadron.

Throughout the mimic war, there was placed in operation a system of coast defence, which was admittedly of credit those who engaged in it. The final event of these war maneuvers, which took place early this morning, was the sequence of many complicating developments.

The defeat of Pillsbury came at the end of a night filled with rumors as to the location of the attacking squadron.

At 9.30 o'clock, the three battleships of Higginson's fleet got under way in a hurry and sailed east. The intent was to move on to Portland, and if this had been carried out, Admiral Higginson would have unconsciously swung the balance of his fighting force to that [illegible] line, as Pillsbury had intended he should, but which was not done on account of heavy seas rounding Cape Elizabeth.

Higginson, however, deflected his course back to Gloucester, after swinging seaward, in response to a report that the enemy had not been sighted when it was believed she had been, but in the last hours, Pillsbury sailed toward Cape Ann from the outside and ran in under the very guns of the defending squadron.

Commander Pillsbury had stood well out to sea, disappointed at the failure of the long planned ruse to draw the blockading fleet away from the destined seat of engagement, and then after maneuvering, sailed straight for Salem harbor, but the desired vantage was never reached.

The Enemy's Maneuvers.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., August 24.—The U. S. S. Panther of the defeated white squadron anchored here this afternoon on her way to New London.

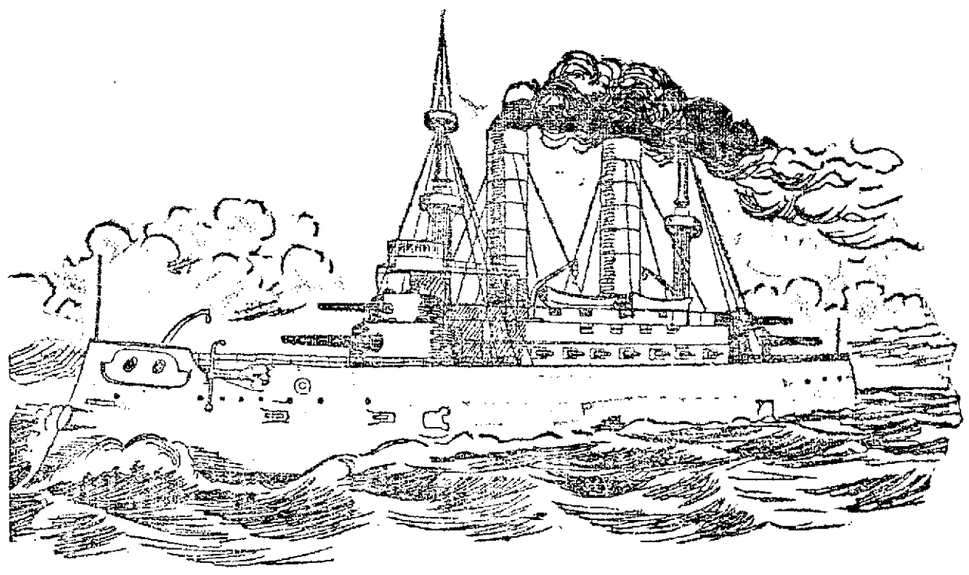
The executive officer stated that the three ships had been laying by about 480 miles off shore, awaiting favorable weather to make a dash for the coast.

The moonlight nights were unfavorable for the attempt without being discovered. It was decided last night to make an attack, and the fleet steamed toward shore in the effort to reach Salem harbor. It succeeded in passing the line of scouts and arrived off Manchester about four o'clock this morning, when daylight broke and the fleet was discovered by Higginson's battleships Kearsarge, Alabama and Massachusetts lying off Rockport.

Details Of The Surrender.

Rockport, Mass., August 24.—When Pillsbury's boats had arrived off Magnia, they were sighted by the signal station on Baker's Island, and the torpedo boat Barney was sent out to notify the blue squadron.

After Higginson's ships had cruised up and down the coast, they went to their anchorage off Thatcher's Island.



THE BATTLESHIP KEARSARGE.

On the bridge of the flagship, a dozen jackies stood upon the lookout. One of these was Daniel Stachele, an apprentice of the first class. The flagship was just falling down into the trough when he notified the ensign that he could see the enemy.

It was then but the work of a moment to notify Admiral Higginson of the probability that the time for action was at hand. General quarters were sounded; it was real war then. It was not many moments before the flagship was under way and steaming at rapid speed.

At 5.40 o'clock, the three battleships which had come in from the south in time to be in at the finish, together with the Barney, formed a horseshoe about the white squadron. The elation of the men on the sips of the blue squadron was unbounded.

Commander Pillsbury, after he had signalled his surrender, passed in his barge from the Prairie, walked up the gangway of the Kearsarge, and offered his sword to Admiral Higginson.

"Keep your sword, sir," said the senior officer, "I would not accept a sword from so gallant a foe." "And I sir," responded Commander Pillsbury with dignity, "could not surrender to a nobler or better officer."

This ended the surrender, and at the invitation of Admiral Higginson, Commander Pillsbury stepped down to the cabin of the Kearsarge, and

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EXETER HAPPENINGS.

Gen. Gale's Campaign Helped by Putney's Mud-Slinging.

Queer Pranks of Saturday Morning's Electrical Storm.

Budget Of Other Timely Topics From Our Special Correspondent.

(Special Correspondence.)

Exeter, August 24.

At the Gale headquarters yesterday morning was a Manchester man who declared that Editor Putney's attacks on Rockingham county's candidate for gubernatorial honors are doing Gen. Gale a great deal of good in Manchester, where Mr. Putney is personally very unpopular. Manchester people are very much worried on the license question and the opinion is strong in that city that candidate Batchelder's evasion of the question is because he has made promises that he cannot escape from. Editor Putney is said to be doing his level best to make the people of the Queen City believe that his brother-in-law (Batchelder) will sign a license bill, but it is up hill work for him to find believers. The sentiment in Manchester is against him and he cannot bring it his way.

The worst series of thunder storms that has visited Exeter this season held the town in its clutches from two o'clock to six o'clock Saturday morning. At times the rain fell in torrents and then again no rain fell, but the lightning was vivid and the thunder continuous. At three o'clock a bolt entered the residence of William S. Perkins, the Lincoln street florist. The bolt went into the house through the roof, near a chimney, which is damaged somewhat. It ran along the attic to the side of the building and descended into the sleeping room below. There it came in connection with a gas pipe and immediately jumped across the room, in its path was a bed, and it scorched the bed clothes and knocked the occupant, Jamie Barnes, out of the bed. Then it passed into John R. Perkins' bedroom, going within a foot of him. Neither of the young men were affected however. But to return to the electric bolt. After its jump across the room it came in contact with another gas pipe and descended into the dining room. There it ran out of doors on some wires. That the house was not burned seems miraculous. Three different stories can be here set down showing the effect of its journey. Whatever it can, in contact with its discovered but a little, even the most inflammable objects. That no further damage is almost too wonderful to believe. How it could pass over two floors, now and not affect them in the least is causing great astonishment. An outhouse at Mrs. John J. Bell's place was also struck.

Mrs. Alice Kelly, wife of Patrick Kelly, died at her home on Green street, Saturday morning after a lingering illness, at the age of seventy years. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John J. Child of Lowell, Mass., and Miss Kate L. Kelly of this place.

Epping on Saturday most probably elected two state delegates for Gen. Stephen H. Gale. On congressional delegate is pledged to Col. Elwell, as is a delegate from Brentwood, where caucus took place on the same evening.

In the semi-finals of the Exeter Golf club handicap tournament Saturday afternoon, Capt. Arthur F. Cooper, scratch, defeated Dr. D. F. Wells, 3-6 up and 4 to play and Charles G. Russell 16, defeated Herbert F. Perkins, scratch, 2 up. In the consolation series Albert N. Dow, 3, defeated Robert Kent, 12, 6 up and 5 to play, while E. Frank Folsom, 9, defeated Charles E. Byington, 6, 2 up and 1 to play.

The Exeter Sportsmen's club enter Portsmouth and Dover Saturday. It was an all day affair, and dinner was served on the grounds.

Dr. W. H. Nute launched his pleasure dory, the Norwood, named in honor of his son, on the Squamscott Saturday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter S. Vinal of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting friends in town.

As the Waterville, Me., State league baseball team has disbanded, Capt. William Magee has returned to Exeter.

Hampton was visited by a heavy hail storm Friday night.

Miss Blanche Leavitt of Lowell, Mass., is spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Leavitt.

The excursion to be held from Manchester to Hampton Beach today, was postponed until next Sunday.

Warner Hayes has returned from a visit to Montreal.

The 2:26 train for the east was run in two sections Saturday afternoon.

The Newfields A. C. team easily won the deciding game from the Good Templars' baseball team, on the campus yesterday afternoon.

AMESBURY.

KITTERY POINT.

Mrs. Leah Fagan has closed her cottage here for a short period, and has gone to East Gloucester, Mass., for a brief stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coy of Cleveland, Ohio, are the guests of Miss E. A. Harvey, at the "Harbor," Gerrish Island.

One of Admiral Higginson's scouts made the Pocahontas hotel his headquarters last week, during the progress of the naval maneuvres off the New England coast.

Misses Katherine and Gertrude Pinkham, Miss Edith Bickndll, Miss Elizabeth Berry and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Berry are enjoying cottage life at Sea Point for two weeks.

The yacht Iris of Eastport is anchored in the harbor for several days. The Iris, which flies the pennant of the New York Yacht club, is owned by Col. Phenix, who is entertaining a large party of friends on board the yacht.

W. D. Sawyer of New York is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pinkham.

The naval people who are camping at the Champ Mayoo were drilling in the Portsmouth navy yard last week, and during some of the time the marines were assigned to the Massachusetts, Kearsarge, Alabama and Iowa squadrons. Most of the men left on Saturday, however, on the supposition that the attack would be undertaken, and it has been proved that they were correct.

The following were the arrivals at the hotels last week:

Champernowne—Mr. and Mrs. James M. Neller, Conway, N. H., and Mrs. George W. Tremain, daughter, Mrs. Ida H. Dow, Boston.

Parkhill—Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Ward, C. W. Ward, Newport, R. I., and Mrs. N. Y. Pope, Swansea, Mass. Montclair—O. H. Bates, G. B. Watson, Andover.

NEWINGTON.

Newington, August 25.

Mrs. Lyman Stackpole of Rochester is spending Sunday in town, the guest of her sister, Miss Mary Pickering.

Martin D. Hoyt, who is employed in Haverhill, after passing two weeks at his former home here.

J. Andrew Brown of Portsmouth was the guest of his mother over Sunday.

Mrs. William Johnson of Winchester, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt.

Misses Edwina Scribner and Alice Land of Dover, who have been passing the vacation weeks with their aunt, Miss Mary Pickering, returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. Maria Young of Lynn, Mass., is the guest of her brother, Mr. Moody.

Miss Flora Clark of Portsmouth was the guest of Miss Clara Pickering on Sunday.

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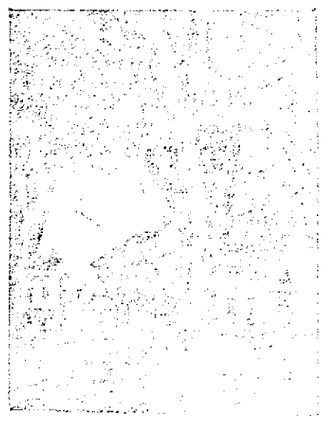
[illegible] New York. The French man[illegible] a man who has ceased to care [illegible] appearance on the street in clean [illegible] and even fashionable clothing [illegible] very far inward. It is the [illegible] temperament of the French [illegible] to please.

Paris has almost as many street mer[illegible] under shops and stalls as [illegible] Along both sides of [illegible] the boulevards of the [illegible] are the booths of the bouquinistes [illegible] Here one can buy [illegible] books, old and new, [illegible] French [illegible] There is this differ[illegible] the boulevards [illegible] those of other [illegible] book is more [illegible] French and low, [illegible] for young than English [illegible] but not worth less [illegible] the poor of Paris buy most [illegible] than those of other Lon[illegible]



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SOUVENIR GOLD DOLLARS.

Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand to Be Minted For World's Fair.

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St. Louis, Aug. 18.—Orders are being received by Secretary Shaw for the gold dollars to be issued by the United States government in commemoration of the Louisiana Purchase exposition. The issue will be limited to 250,000 coins, according to the instructions of the act of congress authorizing them. The committee in charge of the matter, [illegible] of the assembly of the exposition, has about decided upon three designs—including the bust of Jefferson, the other the bust of McKinley. The coins will be sold at $2 each by the world's fair, and the amount derived from the premium will be used in the construction of monuments of Jefferson and McKinley.

The first hundred issued of each design will be numbered as minted and a certificate issued by the director of the mint for each coin stating that it was minted in his presence and numbered in consecutive order. These 200 coins will be sold to the highest bidders.

The 250,000 gold dollars are a part of the appropriation of $50,000 in aid of the world's fair from the United States government. They will be delivered to the exposition authorities as soon as minted, which will probably be late in the fall.

Plans for the United States government building at the world's fair have now been approved by the official board of managers in charge of the government exhibit. James Knox Taylor, supervising architect of the treasury, has directed the preparation of the plans, which call for a building 791 feet long, 243 feet wide at the ends and 175 feet wide in the central portion. The style is somewhat of the classic order, less festive than the other exposition palaces.

The center of the building will be surmounted by a dome 186 feet in diameter similar in character to the dome of the Parthenon at Rome. The apex of the dome will be 175 feet above ground. The main facade will be 764 feet long, with center and end pavilions connected by a colonnade of Ionic columns 5 feet in diameter and 45 feet high. The central pavilion, with the colonnade on each side, will form a portico 15 feet wide and 524 feet long. The interior floor area will be 721 by 175 feet, entirely free of columns. The end pavilions will contain one central portico 250 feet long. The building will be of staff, a composition of plaster resembling stone, and the exterior will be white. A handsome marble [illegible] has been decided for the interior. The [illegible] building will [illegible] the city 232 feet above the [illegible] 1893 palaces.

A [illegible] of [illegible] feet [illegible] will lead up to the main portico, [illegible] will furnish [illegible] of providing the [illegible] in a setting [illegible] the building and its approach [illegible] The estimated cost of the government building is $[illegible], and [illegible] will be expended on the [illegible] which will stand south-west from the main structure. The [illegible] building will be 175 feet square. The construction of the government buildings will begin soon. It is the policy of the government to open its fall fairs and exhibits on time.

Information has been received here that Professor Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone, is preparing to commence the construction of an [illegible] at his home at Baddeck, Cape Breton. The [illegible] is said to be [illegible] of study on the part of Professor Bell and represents [illegible] of many thousands of [illegible] and is [illegible] parts. [illegible] with canvas and [illegible] on plans [illegible] who were [illegible] The [illegible] to be utilized in a [illegible] in this machine. [illegible] This [illegible] system, and [illegible] Dennis [illegible] of Professor [illegible]

[illegible] Professor Bell hopes to [illegible] ship is not [illegible] those who know him [illegible] Senator Dunsmuir in [illegible] of the great problem, [illegible] ready for [illegible] Dunsmuir's [illegible] in this [illegible] for the World's fair aerial [illegible] to-day.

[illegible] will be one of the [illegible] the Northwest States exhibit at the World's fair. In the Kansas [illegible] a fine nursery will be [illegible] "The World's fair committee [illegible] that Kansas has finally d[illegible] to do," says Senator Cal Morton [illegible] of that body, "and we will [illegible] nurses in charge [illegible] that Kansas people who will go to visit the exposition can have their babies cared [illegible] with children [illegible] Kansas. The assurance that they will be well taken care of."

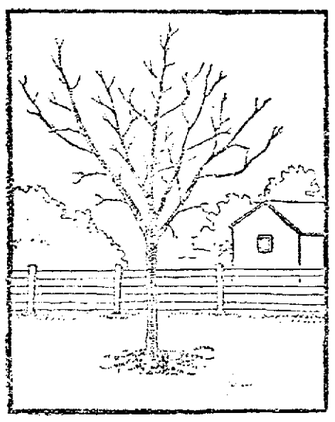
LEONARD BALDWIN.

FARM FIELD AND GARDEN

PRUNING THE PLUM.

Summer Pinching—Late August or Early September Cutting.

The method of pruning young plum trees which I am now set in orchard, recommended by such good authority as Professor Munson, is to prune the top to a straight whip and the whip cut back to two or three feet, depending on the variety and the strength of the young tree. The following summer a number of side branches will be sent out from the sides of the straight



PLUM TREE, END OF FIRST YEAR.

stalk. From four to six of the most desirable of these which are well distributed around the trunk are allowed to grow and the remainder pinched off. In late August or early September the tops of these branches are cut off in order to stop growth and harden them up. Suckers are removed as soon as they appear. At the end of the first year in the orchard the tree will have an appearance similar to that in the figure.

At the opening of the second spring all the branches are cut back to a length of six to eighteen inches, depending on the vigor of the tree—the weaker the tree the more closely it is shortened. From one to three new branches, but preferably two, are allowed to grow on each primary branch, and these are handled in the same manner as the primary branches were the preceding summer. Thus treated the tree is usually in bearing condition at the end of the second year and should give a moderate crop of fruit the third year. According to E. S. Goff of the Wisconsin station, the trees of the American varieties seem to require more pruning than those of the European or Japanese varieties.

ESTABLISHING TIMOTHY.

Some Methods of Getting a Good Stand on Heavy Oat Stubble.

There are a number of ways in which heavy oat stubble land could be treated so as to insure a stand of timothy, and of these the Iowa Homestead says: Possibly one of the best methods would be to sow a crop of winter wheat this fall and seed down to timothy either early in the fall or spring as soon as the frost is out.

In case this plan is adopted the oat stubble should be plowed just as soon as possible and afterward well worked down in order to make the seed bed firm. Should the rainfall be light during the next few weeks it might be advisable to harrow the surface at intervals of one week or ten days in order to conserve the moisture that is already in the soil. This is essential in order to insure rapid germination after wheat is sown. The time of seeding will vary considerably with the latitude, although the custom established in a community will be a sufficient guide in this matter. If timothy is known to live over winter the first year, it is better to sow at the time of seeding wheat, although if there is any likelihood that it will be winter killed it is better to delay seeding until spring.

Another plan by which a timothy meadow could be established would be to plow the stubble this fall and prepare a seed bed thoroughly next spring. A week or two after the early oats or barley may be seeded as a nurse crop, along with ten or twelve pounds of timothy seed. The cereal crop should not be seeded heavily, as it will be more liable to choke out the new seeding.

One of the difficulties in getting a stand of any kind of grass is to insure a perfect covering of the seed. It is a great mistake to sow grass with a drill and allow the timothy seed to be scattered over the surface afterward without covering this up with a harrow, roller or some form of surface implement.

Sometimes it is possible to obtain a good stand of timothy without the use of any nurse crop whatever. In this case the soil should be plowed this fall so that a thorough seed bed may be prepared early in the spring, at which time the timothy should be sown.

Cultivating New Land.

In bringing new land under cultivation cultivate for several successive seasons or until all roots are thoroughly broken and all foul vegetation is completely destroyed. If cultivated for only one year and then seeded down or left idle, any number of roots and small bunches will revive and start into new wood life.

The Flaxseed Area of 1902.

The area sown to flaxseed in the United States in the spring of 1902, as indicated by estimates of various commercial authorities, seems to range from about 2,500,000 acres to 2,700,000. [illegible] sown to flaxseed in this country.

MERCHANTS AND UNIONS.

How Business and Citizenship Profit by Labor Organizations.

Just why the business man who has goods to sell does not support trade unionism is hard to understand. Every one ought to know by this time that 80 per cent of the wage workers spend all their wages, and the higher the wage rate the more sales. Trade unionism stands for higher wages.

Take for illustration any well organized town of, say, 40,000 population. It would be an easy matter to demonstrate that organized labor would number from four to five thousand members. It would be a conservative statement to say that to organized labor was due the fact that no less than 10,000 workers receive 25 per cent higher wages. Let us suppose further that the wage rate is $500 a year in that town. Twenty-five per cent would be $125 a year, multiplied by 10,000 would be $1,250,000. This great sum, or at least $1,000,000, is spent by the workers, the most of which goes into the hands of the local business men, and a part is again expended by the local merchant to purchase goods from the wholesaler. Thus the merchants, retail and wholesale, are vastly better off because of the high wage rate. The same rule applies to those trades which shorten the hours of labor and thus furnish employment to more hands. This is all recognized in some well organized cities, especially in the west and southwest. Only last year in a western city of not less than 50,000 population the merchants contributed $2,000 to the Central Labor union, and they did this on the strength that trade unionism is a real benefit to the business public.

This much for the economic side of the question.

Most merchants are interested in having their home city known as a high class community.

Organization of the working class tends always to make better citizens. This is shown in our great industrial centers by comparing the unorganized districts with the organized districts, there being only 40 per cent of crime and 50 per cent of intemperance in the latter as compared with the former.

And comparisons like these will hold good in every such illustration.

Therefore from both the social and the economic standpoint the business man should co-operate and support the trade union movement.—Union Boot and Shoe Worker.

Harrison Gray Otis Snubs Gompers.

A Los Angeles special to the San Francisco Examiner says:

Efforts were made during the visit of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor to this city to bring about a conference between Samuel Gompers, president of the federation, and General Harrison Gray Otis of the Times in the hope of effecting a withdrawal of the bitter animosity which has characterized the attitude of the Times toward union labor for many years. These efforts proved unavailing, General Otis refusing to meet President Gompers or to have any meeting with the representatives of the unions.

This attitude upon the part of General Otis is being very harshly criticised, and it is believed that his refusal to confer with the leaders of union labor will tend to aggravate the feud existing between his paper and the labor council.

On the day of President Gompers' arrival in Los Angeles the Times printed an editorial in which the labor question was treated with some degree of fairness. It was this publication that prompted the labor council to plan the conference, a neutral party being chosen to lay the proposition before General Otis. The refusal with which the proposal was met has angered the unions, and they declare that overtures for peace will not come again from their side.

New Departure In Injunctions.

A New Jersey corporation which markets the product of fifty West Virginia coal companies has applied to one of the two federal judges in the state who are so actively engaged at this time in issuing injunctions for one of these useful articles. The petitioner says the fifty companies have failed because of strikes at their mines to make the deliveries of coal agreed on. Therefore it is asked that President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers' organization and various other persons connected with it, who are alleged to have ordered the strike which has made it impossible for the coal companies to live up to their contracts, be enjoined from interfering with the operation of the mines by their owners. A temporary injunction has been granted.

The motion for a permanent injunction is not to be argued until the middle of November. Probably by that time the strike will be over. If not, there will be an opportunity to discuss the right of third parties to obtain injunctions. If the right exists, it may be utilized often.—Chicago Tribune.

Judge Hynes' Decision.

Ouray (Colo.) Miners' union, No. 15 of the Western Federation of Miners, passed resolutions thanking Judge Hynes for his decision "that a man with a paid up union card is not a vagrant." Some members of the W. F. M. in the state are so enthusiastic over the judge's decision that they are in favor of nominating him for judge of the supreme court.

A Hot Strike In a Cold Country.

The strike fever seems to have spread to faraway Alaska, and 700 salmon fishermen there struck lately for an increase in wages. Dispatches say there was a hot fight for five days, even if the country is cold, and the men won out, although by doing so the cost of fish was increased over 100 per cent.

SOW ALFALFA.

August Is the Time—A Tender Plant. Do Not Pasture Too Soon.

A good deal of alfalfa sown last fall failed to live through the winter. Not a little of the failure was due to late sowing. If it be possible to induce those who will sow this season, with the importance of immediately preparing the ground and of sowing by the middle of August, many failures will be avoided.

To prepare the soil plow, going over each day's work with the subsurface packer before leaving the field. If no packer is at hand then use the harrow sufficiently to close all large openings under the furrows. After every rain pack again. Do not try to crush all of the clods, but try to have them on the surface. If at the middle of August there is moisture enough in the soil to sprout the seed, sow it. The quantity of seed used varies from twelve to thirty pounds an acre. If the seed is evenly distributed and half of it grows, twelve pounds will produce more plants than can grow on an acre. But get a good stand at first sowing. It is very difficult to mend a poor stand.

If the middle of August finds the soil too dry to insure growth, defer sowing until the moisture comes, keeping the soil harrowed so as to keep down weeds and to break any crust that may be formed after light showers. There is a good deal of risk in sowing later than the middle of September, so that if the soil continues too dry until that date it may be better to defer sowing the alfalfa until next spring.

The former who has not experienced the value of alfalfa will do well to sow a little patch for trial. Get ten pounds of seed and sow on half an acre.

Alfalfa comes up under favorable conditions almost as quickly as de radishes, but it is at first a tender plant. Do not let an animal graze a bite of it until you have mowed it four times. Some say it is scarcely safe to allow a hog or a sheep to look through the fence at it at any time during the first year of its existence.

With favorable weather the August sown alfalfa will make a considerable growth before freezing weather. But don't pasture it. Mowing it will not hurt it, but pasturing must be forbidden. Sow a little alfalfa whether the neighbors do or do not sow.—Kansas Farmer.

SUGAR BEET ACREAGE.

The Area This Season Nearly Doubles That of Last Year.

According to the Crop Reporter, the area sown to sugar beets in the United States in 1902, as estimated by Messrs. Willett and Gray, New York, is 259,545 acres against 137,925 acres sown in 1901 and 132,069 acres in 1900. Out of the eleven states enumerated as participating in this industry in 1902 eight show an increase and one only a decrease in area over that of the preceding year, the aggregate increase for the entire country amounting to 121,588 acres.

The most notable increases in area are in four states, which are credited with about 88 per cent of the aggregate area of the country—viz. Michigan, California, Colorado and Utah. Michigan, with an area in the present year of 68,000 acres, shows an increase over the area of the preceding year of upward of 70 per cent, and for the first time in the history of the industry takes rank as the leading state in the area devoted to this product.

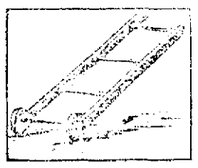
California, which has heretofore been the foremost state in respect of sugar beet area, is this year in second place, with an acreage of 71,234 acres, the largest area, however, ever sown in the state and one showing an increase of about 10 per cent over that of the previous year. Third in importance in this industry is Colorado, with an area of 70,449 acres in 1902 against 23,760 in the preceding year, an increase of 66 per cent.

In Utah the 1902 area is 18,000 acres against 12,500 acres in 1901, showing an increase of 40 per cent. The other states of smaller production which show increases in area are Washington, Oregon, Nebraska and Ohio.

Wisconsin and New York are credited with the same area as last year. The only state which shows a decrease is Minnesota.

Device For Handling a Ladder.

This handy little device was originally shown in the Farm Journal. It is to enable one person to move a heavy ladder to any desired place alone. Two tracks are sawed from plank and holes bored through their center and through the ends of all the heavy ladders on the place. The rod and tracks can be slipped into place in a moment and held by pins, as shown. The other end of the ladder is then seized and the whole wheeled off.



A LADDER ON TRUCKS.

Cuttings and Grafts.

When celery rust is prevalent, pull off the small lower leaves and side shoots; also keep clean and well cultivated if drought prevails. Be sure to water well.

Celery plants should be handled as soon as they obtain sufficient size. Common varieties are excellent for blanching.

On sandy land and in a hot climate it is not advisable to plant under a heavy growth of shade, as the plants will be in a poor condition.

Rye does well on light soils with little [illegible] and comes in well after a crop of [illegible]

On poor soil in the [illegible] may be profitably [illegible]

[illegible] sweet corn.

PLACEBO PRESCRIPTIONS.

An Old Doctor Tells a Secret of His Profession.

"Never tell a patient that there is nothing the matter with him," said the old doctor, who was revealing the secrets of his profession. "If you do, you make a lifelong enemy and lose your patient, who sends for another doctor. Give him something, if it is only flavored water. If the disease is only imaginary, cure the imagination with a harmless dose, and your patient gets well. In the profession we call such prescriptions 'placebos,' and more wonderful cures are effected by placebos than the world wots of. So, also, when you run across a patient who announces the first thing that he cannot take certain sorts of medicine, don't tell him he must. Agree with him and give him the medicine, if he needs it, in a disguised form.

"There are thousands of people who labor under the conviction that they cannot take quinine and will tell you that they have never taken it in their lives, while at the same time they may be taking large doses of it. The taste of quinine is hard to disguise, but if administered in a pill the patient can be made to take it and never suspect what he has swallowed. The trouble is the patient is apt to recognize a quinine pill by its appearance, to suspect, bite into the pill and thus discover your ruse. To obviate this difficulty druggists now have pills of quinine made *in odd shapes and colors*. Pink pills, containing nothing but quinine and a little harmless coloring matter, *are a favorite form for use in cases* where an antiquinine crank has to be medicated. In giving a placebo it is not wise to have it taste too well. The patient is apt to suspect if you do. And be sure that you gravely impress upon the patient that only a *teaspoonful* is to be taken at a time and that at stated intervals. The whole virtue of a placebo exists in the solemnity and importance with which you surround it."—New York Press.

FLOWER AND TREE.

Salpiglossis is a pretty, showy annual, easy to raise and worthy a place in the garden.

The birch grows farther north than any other tree. Next comes the Siberian larch and then the fir.

The dark spot in the center of a bean blossom is the nearest approach to black that occurs in any flower.

Sunflowers may be transplanted quite easily if the work is done on a rainy day or in the cool of the evening.

Preserve a green lawn in the center of the garden, however small. This is needed to set off the flowers and for purposes of relief.

Mignonette is so unobtrusive that its presence is often betrayed by its sweet scent merely, but a large bed of mignonette should be in every garden.

Dissolve fresh lime in water, allow sediment to settle and saturate earth in which small, white worms have been noticed with the clear solution thus made.

That "it is never too late to set out roses" is a true word about gardening. But "the earlier the better, so long as the frost is out of the ground," is a maxim no less worthy of dependence.

A Spiny Monster.

For sheer ferocity of appearance, unredeemed by any milder facial attributes, a lizard called after "Moloch horrid king" Moloch horridus is preeminent among reptiles. The body of this Australian reptile is so covered with spines that, as it has been put, nature seems to have endeavored to ascertain how many spines could be inserted on a given area. But, unlike its tutelary deity, who seems really to have spelled himself Moloch, the lizard does not demand the blood of children. It is, indeed, vegetarian and only fiery in that it has a curious faculty of absorbing and drying up water. A specimen placed in a shallow dish was observed to attract the water like a piece of blotting paper.—Westminster Gazette.

Ancient Trades Unions.

Seven thousand years ago there were trades unions in Nineveh and Babylon, and so strict were their rules that in some cases the penalty of death was inflicted for infringing them. Each man's work was strictly defined, and even the number of hours that he was allowed to work was stated in the charter of his guild or union. Later exactly the same state of affairs existed in Pompeii, and inscriptions have been discovered stating specific appointments of officials to trades unions. The most powerful of these appears to have been that of the Fishermen's guild.

Deceptive.

"Dey oughter pass a law," said Hungry Higgins, nursing his leg, "fer C'mped people ter call deir dogs be appropriate names."

"Wot's de matter now?" inquired Dusty Rhoads.

"Why, a woman down de road said if I didn't git out o' her yard she'd call Fido. O' course I laffed. Den she called Fido, and Fido didn't do a T'ing. He was a big brindle bull!"—Chicago Tribune.

A "Bird" Anyway.

Mrs. Spenders—That's what I call a "duck" of a bonnet.

Mr. Spenders—Yes? I'd call it a "pelican."

Mrs. Spenders—A "pelican?"

Mr. Spenders—Yes; on account of the size of the bill.—Philadelphia Press.

The records left by the Phoenicians, Assyrians and ancient Persians show that among all these nations the use of perfumes was very common.

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ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT.

The Abenaqui Golf club of Rye Beach has established an annual tournament for a beautiful silver trophy, to be known as the Abenaqui cup, open to all contestants who are members of any New England golf club. The first competition will take place next Wednesday and the following three days, and will open with an eighteen qualifying round, the first 16 in which will continue at match play. Entries, which are free, will be received by Assistant Secretary Frank E. Hutchins, at the club until Monday evening; they must be accompanied by certificates of membership from some home club officer. Details of the course and club house are extended to all entrants for the week, beginning on Monday morning. The cup is two feet in height, may measure and cost $150, and there is much interest displayed in its ownership for the coming year. It is won three times it becomes the personal possession of the winner.

NEWFIELDS DELEGATES FOR SULLOWAY.

The cordial John Terry is wreathed in smiles as the result of the caucus held at Newfields on Saturday evening. It was intimated that there was to be a hard fight but all hands came with John when the ballating commenced. The congressional delegates are for Sulloway and the state delegates for Gale.

The following were chosen:

State—Thornton Pike, Daniel Lynch.

Congressional—H. J. Paul, Jeremiah Neale.

County—Charles E. Smith, Elmer Leavitt.

Senatorial—Thornton Sheehy, George Kendall.

Councillor—Henry Taplin, Jeremiah Neal.

ANNUAL BENEFIT CONCERT AND DANCE.

The annual benefit concert and dance of Knox's Farragut house on the Isles of Shoals on Saturday evening proved to be one of the most successful events of the season. The concert [illegible] was a new [illegible] "Farragut" which was [illegible] and applauded.

The following programme was rendered:

CONCERT PROGRAM.

[illegible] "Farragut" Collotes
[illegible] Mr. F. C. Hall.
Overture, "The Wanderer's Hope," Spross
[illegible] Franz Ri[illegible]
[illegible] A. Varney.
Selection, "The Fledermaus" Strauss
[illegible]
[illegible] "Dream" Saint Saens
[illegible] Mignatiski
[illegible] D. P. Norris.
[illegible] Nevin
[illegible] Nevin
[illegible] Roby
[illegible] E. A. Varney.
[illegible] "Dudes" Ladies.

DANCE PROGRAM.

[illegible]

NAVAL ORDERS.

[illegible]

MRS. CHAFFEE OUT OF DANGER.

[illegible]

PILLSBURY CAPTURED.

(Continued from first page.)

[illegible] the two officers discussed the incidents of the days since the "declaration of hostilities," on Wednesday.

At the close of the conference, Commander Pillsbury was returned to his home in and the Prairie headed down the coast. A little later the blue squadron returned to Rockport.

HOW SHE BECAME PRIMA DONNA

The opening of The Show Girl at Wallack's came around May 5th, with the regular prima donna of the company in the title role. On Wednesday evening of the first week, at five in the afternoon, the startling information was received at the front of the house that the prima donna was suddenly and seriously ill and the theatre would have to close. Much to the amazement of all quietly interested the company in report as usual for the evening performance, and that he had a new understudy, who would appear for the first time that night.

When the company assembled at eight thirty that night, Mr. Rice went to the dressing room of a quartette of chorus girls and asked to see Miss Kathryn Hutchinson. With little ado the almost overwhelmed chorus girl was taken to the stage and hurriedly rehearsed in the title role with the other principals, and was instructed to don the tracks and costumes of the absent prima donna.

Bewildered with a mixture of joy, excitement and nervousness the gentle girl was installed in the carpeted dressing room of the star, with its mirrors, conveniences and attending maids, in contrast to the little seven by ten basement room, in which the small girl had been dressing but a few moments before.

The rich gowns of costly silk and robes of lace and brilliant diadems of jewels were soon surrounding the beautiful songstress, and after the maids had given the finishing touches in the way of cosmetics and pencils, the poor little chorus girl was pushed on the stage like a frightened deer—a real prima donna.

The courage of ambition and true artistic sense of the girl conquered and before she had finished her entrance song the house was a storm of applause. After the first act, in the lobby, on the sidewalk, and all along Broadway the success of Kathryn Hutchinson was proclaimed, and before the week was out every newspaper and magazine was using her photographs and printing all manner of praise, and in a few days the managers of all the big operatic productions had made offers for her services, but the Ever-on-the-spot Edward had secured a contract in one of the entrances behind the scenes during the first act, by the terms of which the girl of nineteen was to receive $250.00 per week, or an advance of $235.00 per week in a half hour. Since that eventful night Miss Kathryn Hutchinson has actually drawn her salary to The Show Girl at every performance, but it is doubtful if she will ever forget the night of May 7th, 1902, when she became a prima donna by accident, nor it is likely that she will ever sing more sweetly or act more exquisitely than she did that night.

NEW CASTLE.

New Castle, August 25.

William Towner was the guest of Miss Edith Yeaton on Sunday.

Thomas Grandon and Ambrose Yeaton passed Sunday in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Cushing of Boston are visiting at the Niles cottage.

M. C. Appleton of Boston is visiting the Niles cottage.

Dr. and Mrs. Satterlwaite of New York were in town Sunday.

The latest arrivals at the Sea Breeze are W. J. Hammerwell, Cambridge; Bertha S. Hammerwell, Cambridge; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Burrage of West Newton; Miss Caroline S. Burrage, West Newton; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Colburn, Hollis, N. H.; J. H. Barnes, Boston.

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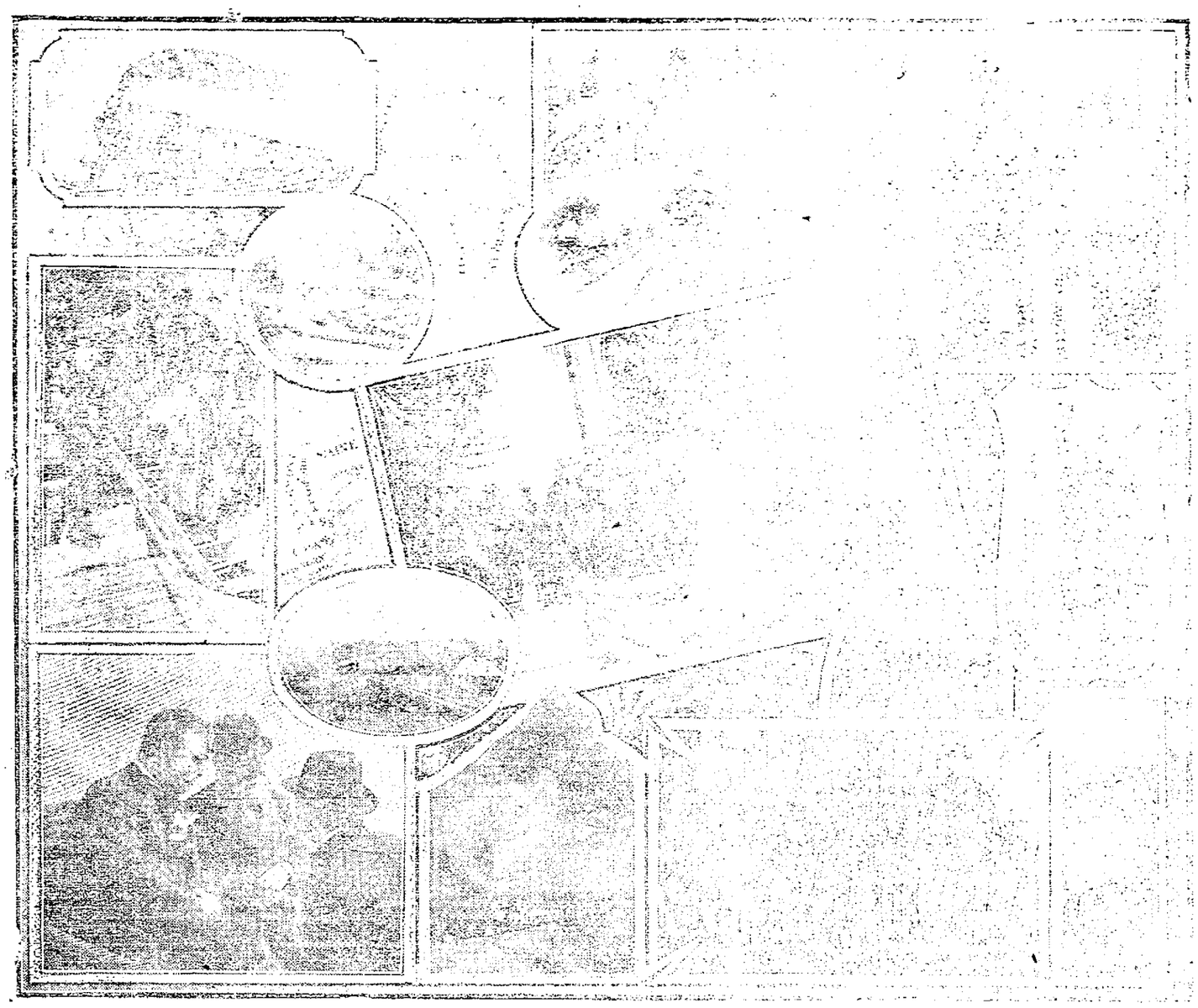

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Additions Have Been Made To Working Force Recently.

Items Of Interest From Busy Shops Across The River.

The dock looks lonesome without the tug boats.

The labor bureau has done a rushing business of late.

The work on the ships in commission is nearly completed.

The machine shop aboard the Raleigh is being fitted out.

George L. Parks has been called to the yards and docks crew.

The U. S. S. Vixen received a portion of her stores on Saturday.

George E. Day has been called on the yard, and will report for duty today.

There are about fifty painters now in the department of construction and repair.

James Barrett has resumed as a helper in the construction and repair department.

Jerry Lynch has been called for work in the shipfitters' department as a hand riveter.

Another large force of men from the different departments went out aboard the Raleigh.

The former plans for the new officers' quarters in the mast house have been changed and other plans made.

Stack Spinney, a well known old time seaman, has resumed his work in the construction painting shop.

E. E. McIntire has taken the position as foreman in the engineer's office of the steam engineering department.

J. T. Burns of the orders crew has moved from Kittery and upon his return he is now on Cabot street, Portsmouth.

Moulder Printy of the steam engineering department and special police officer at Power House on Sunday.

Chief Electrician Thomas H. Clemens was a passenger on the battleship Maine, coming her trial trip, on Saturday.

Edward Watkins, who has been on sick leave about two weeks, is expected back to work today.

Some of the side walls of the new dock at the Isle of Shoals have gone in and all the floor in the basin is completed.

B. Frank Gardner has completed his work in the Kittery Store of the general store department, and the new elevator will be put upon the car.

Several new small tugs have been put in the department and are now working. The tugs are being sufficient for the amount of work to be done.

John F. Leary of the Lynch has jammed other badly on Saturday by getting it caught in a water tight door on the U. S. S. Raleigh.

Capt. J. M. Russell, U. S. M. C., has been ordered to the U. S. S. Oregon.

R. O. Keating of Boston has been appointed clerk in the general store vice C. S. Tilton, resigned.

Fred Rutherford, formerly employed as a machinist in the Boston and Maine shops and in the shop of G. P. Chadwick and company, has reported for duty in the construction and repair department.

The first work in the new construction foundry was done on Friday, when several castings were poured under the supervision of Foreman Thomas Kirkham. The building and the furnace design are the latest in the foundry line.

Orders were issued Saturday detaching Lieutenant Commander S. W. B. Diehl from the staff of the Vixen and ordering him to command the Marietta, then under John A. Rodgers in dry dock from the Marietta and order him to the Albany.

It is thought that the old wooden [illegible] building will be taken out and another put in its place. The work of [illegible] and the department of yard and docks which [illegible] on the building of a new machine shop for repairing the cement.

Draughtsman Hopkinson's [illegible] has been [illegible] to the place where work will start. The force at the cement [illegible] has been [illegible] and all men [illegible] Saturday have a chance to work. Work will be [illegible] day.

AT A CHRISTENING.

President Acts As Godfather Of Chandler Baby.

[illegible]

President As Godfather.

[illegible]

BASEBALL.

The following are the results of the baseball games played yesterday:

National League.

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[illegible]

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[illegible]

[illegible] the Cape Ann course. The course is [illegible] the same as that laid out for the Alabama, and was 33 miles by the chart.

She made the run down to the turn of the course in 1 hour and 53 minutes and on the turn took 19 minutes. [illegible] hardly make [illegible] knots, and between the total and north buoys fell below, so that for the whole way she averaged only [illegible] knots.

The time that followed during this run was the best [illegible]. When the [illegible] was [illegible] for the third leg, and [illegible] Cape Ann buoys down [illegible] and the total tug not [illegible] were [illegible] mile [illegible] apart. The [illegible] and buoys [illegible] the north [illegible] and [illegible] Cape Ann. Either the stakes had actually gone adrift and it was [illegible] for a moment which course [illegible]. However, the Maine was [illegible] ahead without altering her [illegible] and passed between the buoy and the stake boat.

[illegible] for the return run at 1:35 o'clock, and from 12 [illegible] she fell before 18 knots. [illegible] she did better than 18 all the way and in the final hour of speed [illegible] and made her [illegible] of 18.2 knots, which [illegible] o'clock.

Official Report Received.

Washington, August 21. The official report of the trial trip of the new battleship Maine, just in, was received at the navy department today. It read as follows:

[illegible] of the battleship Maine [illegible] exceptional [illegible] tidal [illegible] 17.75 knots.

[illegible] stated at the navy department that the [illegible] figures of the trial allowance [illegible] make a slight change, [illegible] speed.

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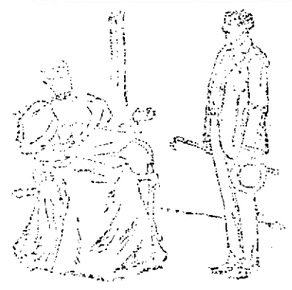

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For Portland—7.35, 9.55, 10.45, a. m., 2.45, 5.22, 8.50, 11.10, p. m. Sunday, 8.30, 10.45 a. m., 8.50, 11.20 p. m.

For Wells Beach—7.35, 9.55 a. m., 2.45, 5.22 p. m. Sunday, 8.30, 10.45 a. m.

For Old Orchard and Portland—7.35, 9.55, a. m., 2.45, 5.22 p. m. Sunday, 8.30, 10.45 a. m.

For North Conway—9.55, 11.16 a. m., 3.00 p. m.

For Somersworth—4.50, 7.35, 9.45, 9.55, 11.16 a. m., 2.40, 3.00, 5.22, 5.30 p. m. Sunday, 8.30 a. m., 1.30, 5.00 p. m.

For Rochester—7.35, 9.45, 9.55, 11.16 a. m., 2.40, 3.00, 5.22, 5.30p. m. Sunday, 5.00 p. m.

For Dover—4.50, 7.35, 9.45 a. m., 12.20, 2.10, 5.22, 8.52 p. m. Sunday, 8.30, 10.45 a. m., 1.30, 5.00, 8.52 p. m.

For North Hampton and Hampton—7.30, 7.35, 8.15, 11.05a. m., 1.38, u2.21, 5.00, 6.35 p. m. Sunday, 8.00a. m., 2.21, 5.00 p. m.

For Greenland—7.35, 8.15, 11.05 a. m., 5.00, 6.35 p. m. Sunday, 8.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m.

Trains for Portsmouth.

Leave Boston—6.00, 7.30, 9.00, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., 12.30, 1.30, 3.15, 3.30, 4.45, 7.00, 9.15 p. m. Sunday, 4.30, 8.20, 9.00 a. m., 6.40, 7.00, 9.45 p. m.

Leave Portland—1.50, 9.00 a. m., 12.45, 1.10, 6.00 p. m. Sunday, 1.50 a. m., 12.45, 5.40 p. m.

Leave North Conway—7.25 a. m., 10.40, 3.15 p. m.

Leave Rochester—7.19, 9.47 a. m., 12.42, 4.50, 5.30 p. m. Sunday, 7.00 a. m.

Leave Somersworth—6.35, 7.32, 10.00, a. m., 1.02, 4.50, 5.44, 7.23 p. m. Sundays, 12.30, 4.12, 6.58 p. m.

Leave Dover—6.55, 8.10, 10.21 a. m., 1.40, 4.25, 6.30, 9.20 p. m. Sunday, 7.30, a. m., 12.45, 4.25, 8.20 p. m.

Leave Hampton—7.56, 9.22, 11.54 a. m., 2.12, 4.26, 4.59, 6.16 p. m. Sunday, 6.26, 10.06 a. m., 8.09 p. m.

Leave North Hampton—8.02, 9.28, a. m., 12.09 m., 2.19, 4.31, 5.05, 6.21, p. m Sunday, 6.30, 10.12 a. m., 8.15 p. m.

Leave Greenland—8.08, 9.35 a.m., 12.06, 2.25, 5.11, 6.27 p. m. Sundaya, 6.35, 10.18a. m., 8.20 p. m.

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Trains leave the following stations for Manchester, Concord and intermediate stations:

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Greenland Village—a7.40, 8.39a. m., 12.49, 5.33 p. m. Sunday, e5.29 p. m.

Rockingham Junction—a7.52, 9.07 a. m., 1.02, 5.48 p. m. Sunday, e5.52 p. m.

Epping—a8.05, 9.22 a. m., 1.16, 6.14 p. m. Sunday, e6.08 p. m.

Raymond—a8.17, 9.32 a. m., 1.27, 6.25 p. m. Sunday, e6.18 p. m.

Returning leave

Concord—7.45, 10.25 a. m., o2.50, 3.36 p.m. Sunday, e7.25 a. m.

Manchester—8.32, 11.19 a. m., o3.20, 4.20p. m. Sunday, e8.10 a. m.

Raymond—9.10, 11.48 a. m., o3.56, 5.02 p. m. Sunday, e8.55 a. m.

Epping—9.22 a. m., 12.00 m. o4.08, 5.15 p. m. Sunday, e9.07 a. m.

Rockingham Junction—9.47 a. m., 12.16, o4.24, 5.35 p. m. Sunday, e9.27 a. m.

Greenland Village—10.01 a. m., 12.28, o4.38, 6.08 p. m. Sunday, e9.41 a m.

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"While I was waiting for my doctor he was engaged with a tall, thin, harassed looking man, who entered just before I did. The anteroom door was open, and I had to hear what was said.

"'What ails you, Mr. Jackson?' the doctor asked.

"'Oh, I'm all right,' the man answered—'that is, as all right as I ever will be. I can't eat much, and I don't sleep much, but nothing seems to help me. I'm not sick, and I'm not well. But, doctor, I came to ask you about my wife.'

"'H'm!' the doctor muttered. 'And what is the matter with Mrs. Jackson?'

"'I don't know,' said the anxious man. 'She complains all the time, from morning till night. She looks fat and hearty, doctor. She eats well and sleeps well, but she complains all the time. It worries me. What shall I do for her, doctor?'

"'H'm!' the doctor muttered again. 'Eats well and sleeps well, looks fat and hearty, complains all the time? Well, I'll tell you what to do for her.'

"'What is it, doctor?' the anxious husband asked.

"'You needn't tell her I said so, but just don't pay any attention to her. A woman who looks fat and hearty, eats well and sleeps well can't be very sick; so just let her grumble and don't pay any attention to her. Grumble a good deal yourself. That may help her. Good day!'"—Detroit Free Press.

His Prospects.

An old farmer, threescore years and ten, one day entered the village store and asked for a pound of brimstone.

The storekeeper, a rather eccentric character, was wont to charge unreasonable prices for his goods owing to lack of opposition.

After receiving the brimstone the farmer tendered a shilling for payment, and as he received the change remarked that he could get it at half the price at the neighboring market town.

The storekeeper glared at his customer for a second and then replied:

"Yes, lad; so tha' might, and some day tha'll git it for now't!"—London Spare Moments.

The Last Word.

Fussy Old Gentleman—I want a pair of gloves like these, a black tie like this, and I don't want you to ask if I want anything else.

Shopman—Yes, sir. Anything else, sir?

Rather Close.

"She's one of the most economical women I ever saw," her neighbor was saying. "Why, do you know what she did? She got married three weeks before she was ready, just to make it possible for her husband to take advantage of the summer excursion rates on their wedding trip, and they were only going about eighty miles, anyway."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Measured Both.

Jack—I treated May and then sat on the piazza with her for an hour afterward.

Tom—And what do you think of her?

Jack—Well, it strikes me that there is a great discrepancy between her capacity and her waist measurement.

Business.

"See that man going along with the bald head and a beard?" said the man in the door of the barber shop. "He's got a great head for business."

"It's a mighty poor one for my business," replied the tonsorial artist.—Yonkers Statesman.

Her Viewpoint.

"Do you think I am as good looking as I was, papa?"

"What difference does it make, my dear, if your character is spotless?"

"But, papa, there is something higher in life than the mere acquisition of character."—Life.

Serenading.

Last year my light guitar and I,
In sweet romance parading,
On sundry moonlight nights did try
The arts of serenading.

A recent footing up I've made
Of losses and of profit
Accruing from this sort of raid,
And here's the substance of it:

Compensatory items, nil;
Hose violations, seven;
Mosquito bites, two hundred-six.
And counter ditto, eleven.
Times taken in by copers, four;
Times hit by bootlocks, twenty;
Proceeds into funds a score,
And doctor's bills indefinitely.

I've changed my tactics now; whene'er
I feel an impulse mellow
To act the warbling cavalier
[illegible]
—Richmond Dispatch.

IT IS WHISPERED

[illegible]

That Yale Master Jones [illegible] bay.

[illegible]

That the West end and Old Town [illegible] or new school.

That the amount of freight arriving [illegible] White Mountain Paper company [illegible] and shipping crews lay at the depot.

That [illegible] business going [illegible] will be a great improvement to that locality.

That the pay roll of the new paper company amounts to about two thousand dollars a week.

That the politicians is looking up the ward organizations about this time.

That the bath house has not done a rushing business this season, so far.

That the City Improvement society should meander around the shores of the South Mill pond.

That lobsters will never again be as abundant as they have been.

That the Piscataqua Athletic club on Daniel street furnish some good vocal music at their rooms during the evenings.

That the active firemen are planning for their annual parade.

That the Franklin Pierce association are thinking of taking the hand tub to the Rochester fair.

That every freight conductor on the Boston and Maine railroad now wears a special police badge.

That it is evident Portsmouth will soon need more wharves.

That many choice decorations are expected along the route of the parade on Labor day.

That the opening of school causes the small boy to think his troubles have commenced.

That a local coal dealer says the price of coal will be less within four weeks.

That the milk company doing business at different stations along the Boston and Maine railroad says the weather this season has made a difference of five thousand cans daily in shipments.

That the Boston and Maine depot restaurant is now open Sunday afternoons, for the first time since it was established.

That the soldiers at New Castle like Portsmouth.

That the Daniel street sewer was badly needed.

That among the ashes taken from the High school a short time ago was coal enough to keep a family supplied part of the winter.

That Portsmouth is still a graft for traveling musicians.

That the fire alarm whistle will be changed to the new station of the Rockingham Light and Power company.

That Dover baseball cranks are still enjoying themselves.

That the hedges at the Portsmouth for so many years have been cut and for so many years have ben cut and looked after, are now very high and are allowed to grow according to their own sweet will.

That the residence of the superintendent of the fire alarm system has been connected with the telephones.

That almost every business place, if not all, will be closed on Labor day.

That the longshoremen and teamsters hold a meeting on Saturday night, to arrange matters for next Monday's turnout.

That the old Wendell block on Market street contains an advertising sign of almost everything, being completely covered.

That all the lumber at the White Mountain Paper company's plant that has to be cut or sawed, is done at their own saw mill.

That the two new fire alarm boxes to be added to the system will be private.

That Baggage Master Falvey at the depot is away from his duties on account of sickness, and Fred DeRochemont is acting in his stead.

That there is a lot of kicking about large carts left in small streets over night.

That the labor organizations are getting their uniforms made for their parade.

HEDDING.

Hedding, August 22.—The Epworth League convention was opened at 8.30 o'clock Friday morning with a praise service conducted by Rev. J. E. Robbins, a Bible reading by Miss Hibbard followed and at 9.15 a business session of the convention was held. At 9.30 conferences were held at the different church houses and the work of the several departments was discussed. James Russell of Somersworth conducted the conference of the Spiritual work department and Rev. H. D. Deetz of Haverhill led the session of the Mercy and Help department immediately after. These sessions were held in the hall. Prof. Riley had the social department in charge at the Grace church and Mrs. Bollenhouse conducted a session at the Lawrence house on Junior League work. All assembled in the hall again at eleven o'clock, and listened to the last lecture of Mrs. Shipley, "Charles Dickens as an Educator." The lecture was preceded by a vocal selection by Mrs. Lord. Mrs. Shipley's lectures have been very interesting and instructive and have been attended by a large number of people each day.

Friday afternoon a [illegible] baseball game was played on the diamond of the campus by the young ladies of Hedding and the [illegible] ground nine. The young gentlemen donned skirts and played only with their left hands. Misses Edna Hoyt and Mary French were the batteries for the young ladies' team and played a good game. A home run by Miss True, the catching of several flies by Miss Jones and the sprinting of Miss Roche were meritable features of the game. Seven innings were played with a score of 24 to 16 in favor of the [illegible]. The [illegible] Dr. [illegible] of Ocean [illegible] lecture from "The Wesleyan Awakening." The Somersworth Mandolin Sextette were present and rendered several excellent selections.

James Russell of Somersworth is here for a few days.

On Friday morning, Rev. W. H. Hutchins of Somersworth fell and struck the top of his head on a rusty nail on the exterior of Chautauqua hall, inflicting an ugly scalp wound. Mr. Hutchins was taken to the cottage of Mrs. A. M. Long, where the wound was dressed. His many friends hope for no serious developments.

The Epping nine plays the Hedding nine this Saturday afternoon.

Camp meeting begins next Monday.

The election of officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Chautauqua association, was held on Friday afternoon and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Emerson; vice president, Miss Clara Wentworth; secretary, Mrs. Lord; treasurer, Mrs. Jennie Ricker.

Rev. L. R. Danforth is to have charge of the music of the camp meeting next week.

One of the most terrific thunder storms ever known at Hedding passed over here about three o'clock this morning. It lasted for about an hour. Hail as large as walnuts descended for five minutes and as late as eight o'clock, hailstones as large as bullets could be scooped up where they had rolled off the eaves of the cottages. Considerable damage was done to the crops about here.

NAVAL NEWS AND NOTES.

Capt. Charles S. Hatch has been ordered to Marine barracks, navy yard, New York for duty.

The U. S. S. Adams will be placed in commission at Mare Island in a few days. She will shortly go on a cruise as a training ship, under command of Commander C. E. Fox.

The navy department has ordered the transfer of the crew of the torpedo boat Farragut to the Paul Jones which is to be the flagship of a group of torpedo boats and destroyers to be mantained at Mare Island. Lieut. Thomas C. Fenton is in command, with Lieut. F. N. Freeman second.

Lieut. Benjamin B. McCormick, U. S. N., commanding the U. S. S. Potomac, stationed at San Juan, P. R., has been authorized to enlist Porto Ricans of the proper age and other qualifications for the navy. As it is required, however, that applicants shall be able to speak English, Lieutenant McCormick will ask the department to waive this condition in order that a larger number of Porto Ricans may be available for enlistment.

The difficulties which have beset the contractors who are constructing the big dry dock at Boston are in a very promising state of settlement. The bondsmen have assumed responsibility for the work and will probably contribute the necessary capital to carry on the project. The contractors are entirely trustworthy, but they seem to lack funds to purchase material. The character of the work which has been done at Boston is of the best and there is every reason to expect that the work will be done promptly.

The work of removing Henderson's Point in the approach to the Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard is well under way. This project is being carried out under a contract which was landed upon some time ago. The difficulty was in obtaining an appropriation from congress with whom the question was whether the abatement should be made in the river and harbor bill or in the naval appropriation bill. It made no matter which act contained the appropriation so long as the facilities existed for doing the work, but finally the appropriation was made in the naval appropriation bill. Army and Navy Register.

A GREAT COMPANY.

Whatever doubts that may have lingered with the skeptical regarding the high standard of excellence set by the Philippine [illegible] with the P. N. [illegible] company [illegible] in quality [illegible] Lambert's [illegible] selection 25 or 30 strong expected [illegible] Sunday morning [illegible] when the switch engine set their baggage car jammed with every conceivable [illegible] of [illegible] in their [illegible].

Among others well known to the American public were the smiling countenances of Helen Courtney, Camille Clifford, Corinne Francis, W. A. Mac [illegible], Marie Scott, Jessie Mae Hall, Helen Winter, P. F. Hurley, Frank Thornton, Will Diamond, Nan [illegible], Bruno March, Edith Von [illegible] and a [illegible] others who [illegible] accommodation at the crowded hotels [illegible] impossible to secure more than a passing glimpse of them. The [illegible] list of plays and players made the assurance of the performance an absolute certainty.

The specialties in arts are headed by Mason and Frances, a team that has been winning much praise for their clever work. The Lady concert orchestra which furnishes the music comes direct from New York. Reserved seats are going fast and packed houses are assured. Tonight is ladies' night. The bill "A Wife's Devotion."

WITH THE STAGE FOLK.

Ezra Kendall will be starred this season in The Vinegar Buyer.

Corse Payton and his stock company are making a hit in Boston.

The cantata, The Brownies' Ball, is to be given at Franklin in October.

M. D. Babcock, the Boston basso, is spending the summer at Fitzwilliam.

Katherine Willard will be seen this season in The Power Behind the Throne.

Harry Baker and Forrest St. John of Manchester, are with the Eight Bells company.

The grand-daughter of the original Joshua Whitcomb, was married in West Swanzey last week.

Old Jed Prouty is playing to big business down in Maine. The performance is said to be excellent.

Walter Jones who is well known here as the tramp in 1492 is to be starred in a play of his own, this season.

Mrs. Sarah Cowell Le Moyne will tour the country in Glen Mac Donough's new play, Among These Present.

Edmund Breese will take the part of Edmund Dantes in Monte Cristo, the coming season. The company will open their season in New York.

Stair & Wilbur, who are to be the proprietors of the new Majestic theatre in Boston, have secured the lease of Music Hall in that city.

Marion Cullen, the first Sunshine of Paradise Alley," was married in Boston Tuesday to Percival Jones of Toledo, son of the mayor of that city.

TRIAL OF TORPEDO BOATS BY LIEUT. CHANDLER.

The navy department has received a preliminary report of the trials held recently at Newport with torpedo boats. The flotilla was under command of Lloyd Chandler, U. S. Navy, and the results are most gratifying. It is declared that never in the development of the torpedo in this country has there been such accuracy of fire secured as at these trials. It is found to have an important bearing regarding torpedo tubes on battle ships, which experts have decided are no longer of value and more dangerous to the vessel than the enemy. Nine hundred yards distance from the torpedo boats the imaginary warship was placed, represented by four flags, two yellow and two red. The extremes of the battle ships in this distance represented 300 feet and were marked by a red flag at either end. Two intermediate yellow flags represented the approximate distance between the turrets, or the vitals of a warship, estimated at 100 feet. Fourteen Whitehead torpedoes were discharged from the vessel, and of this number 13 struck between the yellow flags. The other one missed the flags by only a few feet. Considering that the torpedoes were discharged at a range of more than half a mile, the results are considered to be extraordinary and to warrant further trials at greater distances. The torpedoes were all dummies.

SERGEANT WARD "ACTING GOVERNOR."

The variety of duty to which our officers in the Philippines are being assigned sometimes leads to peculiar situations. One of the most interesting, we imagine, is that in the island of Malamani, a little island on the northern coast of Basilan and across the Basilan Strait from Zamboanga. It is adjacent to Port Isabela, where the marines have a station, and where there is a naval hospital located on piles in the water. Sergeant Jesse Ward of the marine corps has been governor of this little island until recently. It does not often fall to the lot of an enlisted man of the army, navy or marine corps that he is called upon to discharge official functions of gubernatorial dignity. The chances of civil authority in the Philippines seem to be exceeded only in the municipal field in New York, with this advantage for those in the Philippines that one there does not have to be graduated as a saloon keeper, a prize fighter or a policeman to attain executive distinction.

FIVE SUFFOCATED.

Fatal Sunday Morning Fire In Portland.

Portland, Me., August 24.—The four children of William Fitzhere, together with the servant girl, were suffocated in a fire at their house this morning and died before the fire men could reach them.

[illegible]

Charles Sawyer of Boston who has been visiting here for the past few days returned home Saturday.

THE GIRL IN GREEN.

We have seen the maid attired
All in red from top to toes;
We have seen her dressed in pink and white
And wearing the rose;
We have seen the blue and purple,
But the most trying we've seen
In the way of palpitations
Is the maiden dressed in green!

Hat, waist, skirt, shoes, gloves and [illegible]
Of the purest shamrock hue.
With a chaste [illegible] here
[illegible]
And the [illegible] rushes
As the city [illegible] by,
With a word and [illegible] twinkle
In her little green-set eye!

See her reigning on the boardwalk!
See her strolling up the street,
With a lot of fawning couples
At her dainty green shod feet!
And exultant nature loudly
Wards a from the spreading tree,
"There she goes—the girl that guesses
And she's patterned after me!"

Hail the newest thing in crazes!
Crown the latest court queen!
We are prepared to place the laurels
To the shady girl in green:
Yet in town or in the country
Or the seashore's sheltered nooks,
Paste this up where you can see it:
"She's less vivid than she looks!"
—Baltimore News.

It Might Prove Fatal.

Doctor—You are doing very nicely now, but you must be careful to avoid all excitement for some time.

Patient—All right, doc. In that case you'd better not send in your bill just yet.—New York Journal.

Willing to Conform.

The rear seat in the open street car was comfortably filled already when the cheerful looking young man with the blond hair squeezed himself down between two portly consumers of nicotine.

"It seems to me," observed one of them presently, "that when there are plenty of other seats in the car it's an imposition for a man who isn't smoking to crowd in among the smokers."

"It isn't my fault that I'm not smoking," replied the blond young man, with his most engaging smile. "If you have another cigar in your pocket, I'll be glad to join you."

It was a superb exhibition of gall, but he got the cigar.—Chicago Tribune.

Impossible Thought.

"Oh, John, wake up!" she cried in the dead of night. "I've had such a dreadful nightmare."

"What was it?" her husband asked sleepily.

"Why, I dreamed that our children were just as considerate of other people as other people are to us."—Philadelphia Press.

Crosby's Way.

"[illegible] me when that [illegible] last night."

"What did he want?"

"He wanted to borrow an umbrella."

"Why did he come home?"

"He wanted me to bring it over to his house."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Uncertain.

"Has he been married long?"

"Well, I can't quite make out whether he's still in the honeymoon days or has been married just enough to be well trained. I've met the other, for I notice he seldom gets afraid of being late to dinner."—Chicago Post.

Following the Lead.

"The American [illegible] of the English nation is [illegible]."

"Why so?"

"Why, they appointed a commission to investigate [illegible] of their heroes [illegible] war."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

The End In Sight.

Proud Father—What do you think of them [illegible]? Her master says he can't do [illegible] anything more.

Professor—Ach, dat is good. Zere will be no [illegible]!

An Oversight.

Sue—So you don't like that novel?

Belle—No; it says the heroine "wore an air of mystery a dark frown," etc., but it doesn't describe the costume she [illegible].—Chicago News.

Cause For Pride.

"What's he stuck up about?"

"He bets on some one else on a horse race."—Detroit Free Press.

TRY THIS TEST.

And see if your Kidneys are Diseased.

A very simple way to determine whether your kidneys or bladder are diseased is to put some of your urine in a glass tumbler and let it stand 24 hours; if it has a sediment or a cloudy, ropy or stringy appearance, if it is pale or discolored, you do not need a physician to tell you that you are in a dangerous condition. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy speedily cures such serious symptoms as pain in back, inability to hold urine, a burning scalding pain in passing it, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night, and the staining of linen by your urine.

The Rev. Aaron Coons, D.D., pastor of the M.E. Church of Rhinecliff, N.Y., says

"I most sincerely believe that Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the best kidney, liver and blood medicine made, and urgently recommend it, for I know by experience it will do all that is claimed for it."

"Favorite Remedy" is a vegetable help to the stomach and bowels in performing their duties properly. It overcomes and permanently cures dyspepsia, indigestion biliousness and rheumatism. It is absolutely harmless and purely vegetable. It contains no narcotics or minerals in any form, no dangerous stimulants, no mercury or poisons, and is the only kidney medicine that does not constipate.

It is for sale by all druggists in the **New 50 Cent Size** and the regular $1.00 size bottles—less than a cent a dose.

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THE HERALD.

MINIATURE ALMANAC, AUGUST 25.

SUN RISES.....5:41 | MOON RISES...10:10 P. M.
SUN SETS.....6:43 | HIGH SEA.....{04:35 A. M. / 08:25 P. M.
LENGTH OF DAY...13:30 | FULL SEA.....{08:25 P. M.

Last Quarter, Aug. 29th, 6h. 4m., morning W.
New Moon, Sept. 2d, 0h. 1m., morning, E.
First Quarter, Sept. 9th, 5h. 15m., evening, E.
Full Moon, Sept. 17th, 1h. 20m., evening, E.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Washington, August 24.—Forecast for New England: Fair Monday and Tuesday; fresh north winds.

MUSIC HALL BOX OFFICE HOURS.

Open 7:30 to 9:00 a. m., 12:30 to 2, 5 to 6, and 7 to 8 p. m., three days in advance of each attraction. Tickets may be ordered by calling Telephone No. 37-2.

MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 1902.

UNION LABEL

CITY BRIEFS.

Old Home week is over.

A week from today is Labor day.

The president comes this week.

This is the last week of August.

The moon changes tomorrow, (Tuesday.)

'Twas the quietest Sunday of the summer.

The summer theatrical season will soon close.

Watermelons are particularly toothsome this year.

Three weeks more and the hunting season will open.

This will be a busy week on the Boston and Maine lines.

Have your shoes repaired by John Mott, 34 Congress street.

St. Swithin's rainy reign was supposed to come to an end on Sunday.

The Phelan Stock company arrived in town Sunday morning.

The weather wise ones assure us that we may now expect better weather.

The temperature was higher Sunday than on any day for more than a week.

September will give Portsmouth two holidays, Labor day and Firemen's day.

W. I. Trafton and son commenced to wire the North church today for electric lights.

The Rochester fair advertising quartette in their natty uniforms have been in town today.

Officers Quinn and McCaffery have been detailed to do duty on the Shoals excursion this evening.

The annual Methodist camp meeting at Hedding will be held this week. A number of Portsmouth people will be in attendance.

Scrofula, salt rheum, erysipelas and other distressing eruptive diseases yield quickly and permanently to the cleansing, purifying power of Burdock Blood Bitters.

The presence of two large steam yachts in the harbor Sunday morning, led many people to believe that Commander Pillsbury's squadron had attacked the port.

The citizens regardless of party are waiting with much interest to see how certain men named as delegates cast their ballots. It will be interesting to note whether they will defy the people or not.

"I had a bunch, itching sore on my leg. Suffered torture. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly and quickly effected permanent cure." C. W. Lenhart, Bowling Green, O.

Another offshoot Old Home week in New Hampshire has passed into history, but there will be a number of later celebrations and many informal gatherings in accord with the sentiment prior before winter sets in.

August 24 was the thirteenth Sunday after Trinity. This day is honored in the Catholic church for St. Bartholomew who is supposed to be the apostle called Nathanael, his surname being Bar-Tolmai, that is, the son of Tolmai.

A VETERAN GROUP.

A group photograph of fifteen aged Portsmouth men was taken the forenoon for the new volume shortly to be issued "Portsmouth, Historic and Picturesque," by C. E. Gurney of our city. The negatives were made at the studio of R. C. Boyd. This group embraces the following with the date of their birth:

Joseph N. Berry, April 13, 1811.
Thomas Roberts, June 19, 1811.
J. Woodman Moses, March 16, 1813.
Charles E. Hodgdon, October 4, 1813.
Oliver Manson, January 1, 1814.
Moses N. Goodrich, August 15, 1815.
William N. Foster, July 13, 1816.
Samuel P. Treadwell, July 18, 1816.
Andrew Sherburne, September 15, 1819.
James Sanborn, November 24, 1819.
Samuel S. Frye, December 19, 1819.
Benjamin M. Parker, December 27, 1819.
George Parkinson, February 17, 1820.
William G. Bell, August 16, 1820.
Daniel Mason, September 30, 1821.
William N. Rollins, September 7, 1822.

LOCAL COAL MARKET.

The coal market here is pretty dull and there seems no prospects of its being any better for some time. Coal is very scarce, and all the dealers are getting eight dollars a ton for egg and stove coal, there being no nut coal to speak of, and it is selling at less than half a ton to a person.

CAUGHT IN MACHINERY.

John Ryan The Victim Of A Serious Accident.

Left Hand, Wrist And Forearm Are Terribly Lacerated.

Amputation Not Resorted To, But May Yet Be Necessary.

John Ryan, a fireman employed at the plant of the Portsmouth Brewing company, met with an accident, late Saturday afternoon, which may result in the loss of his left hand.

Ryan was working on the ice machine, at the time of the accident, and his left hand in some manner became entangled in the mechanism, and before the machine could be stopped, the palm of his hand, wrist and forearm were frightfully lacerated.

A nut on one of the cranks of the machine caught the man's hand near the base of the fingers, and the nerves tendons and and muscles of the palm and wrist were terribly cut and torn.

Ryan was rescued from his dangerous position as soon as possible and was at once removed to the Cottage hospital, and Dr. Dixon was summoned to attend him.

It was thought at first that immediate amputation would be necessary, but after a close examination of the wounds, the physician determined to save the hand if possible.

Ryan was suffering extremely, and everything possible was done to allay the pain.

At a late hour Sunday night, it had not been found necessary to resort to amputation, and the doctor was inclined to take a hopeful view of the case, although stating there was still a strong possibility that that the injured member would eventually have to be amputated.

It was impossible to state at that time, he said, just what the final result of the accident would be.

GOT A FINE VIEW.

Tug Mitchell Davis Took Portsmouth Party to See the Maine.

A party from this city went out on the tug Mitchell Davis Saturday afternoon, to see the battleship Maine on her trial trip. This party was augmented by summer guests from both Kittery Point and Gerrish Island. The weather was rather threatening, but it was clear outside and ideal for a trip, with the exception of the very high sea which was running, and which caused considerable seasickness.

Nothing was seen of the blockading fleet of Admiral Higginson, with the exception of the destroyer Decatur, which was caught sight of off the Shoals. There were no battleships or cruisers in sight.

Capt. Bert Hoxt took his charge out to the stake boat Modoc, about five miles southwest of Boone Island, and there, in the high sea they waited for an hour before anything was seen of the smoke from the Maine. Then, far down the coast was seen a rise of smoke which grew larger and blacker every minute until the craft was hull up, bearing down on the tug and take boat with a huge bone in her teeth and dashing the waves off her bow in grand style.

She passed within a few hundred yards of the tug boat and the decks were seen to be crowded. It was 1.20 o'clock when she crossed an imaginary line between the Modoc and the buoy, and the first half of her trip was completed.

Without diminishing speed, she tore off to the north then took a long sweep to the south, only to make another sweep east around to north and back to the starting line which he passed over at 1.36.30, bound on her trial halt. Twas a grand sight to witness.

FOR THE ABENAQUI CUP.

The Abenaqui Golf club is making laborate preparations for an open golf tournament to be held four days beginning next Wednesday. The tournament will be open to all amatours in New England and entries must be in the hands of Secretary Batchelder by Monday night. This is the first of a series of tournaments, to be held every year. The winner will hold the Abenaqui cup for one year. Should any player win the cup three times he will obtain permanent possession of it. U. S. G. A. rule will apply in all cases except for a few ground rules.

POLICE COURS.

Three Italians with unpronounceable names were arraigned before Judge Adams in police court this morning charged with the larceny of timber from the White Mountain Paper company. They were found guilty and fined $12.48 each. Supt. Morgan states that nearly $1000 worth of timber has disappeared since the work commenced. The Italians use the wood for fuel and to build shanties with.

HOMEWARD BOUND.

More people passed through the local depot passenger station today than any for this season thus far. The rush was all west bound, people returning home from the beaches or bound to other resorts in Massachusetts. Train No. 44 was run in two sections. The first was composed of nine cars and in charge of Conductor Russell.

CREEK TEAM WON.

Exciting Game Between Local Baseball Nines.

The Creek team defeated the Maplewoods at the Plains on Saturday afternoon in an interesting game of baseball, which carried with it the championship of the city. The game was marked with heavy hitting, although several very reliable batters on both sides struck out.

Frank Newick and James Goodrich were in the points for the Creeks and Tilley and Clark for the Maplewoods. Both pitchers did well, although Newick was perhaps the more effective of the two. Tilley, however, was the steadier.

PORTSMOUTH WANTS ELECTRIC ROADS.

No man can expect to be elected to office in Portsmouth this year or any other year who does not stand in favor of electric roads and who will not cast his vote in favor of every enterprise that will benefit Portsmouth. We want electric roads connecting every town in this section of the state with Portsmouth. The Chronicle is in favor of electric roads and takes its stand without plea or favor, and will do all in its power to bring the men elisted or selected to serve Portsmouth's interests to a true realization of their plain duty.

VALUABLE OUTPUT.

The naval maneuvres have shown clearly the value of the Isles of Shoals as an outpost, for it was from here that the greater part of the fleet communicated with the shore by signal to the men on the islands, and thence by cable into this city and along the coast. The islands, ten miles off the mouth of the harbor, command the entrance to the bay, and properly fortified would make this naval station impregnable.—J. P. Miller in Boston Sunday Globe.

WENT TO NEW YORK.

Conductors Remick, Small and Gray of this city left on the Flying Yankee on Saturday night for Boston, where they met a delegation of Boston railroad men and left for Saratoga at midnight, where they arrived in the morning and took breakfast, after which they proceeded to Mechanicsville where they instituted a new lodge of the Order of Railroad Conductors. The party was a large one and included several from the northern division.

A GRAND SHOWING.

The Mutual Life Insurance company through its Agent C. E. Trafton paid a death claim Saturday amounting to $10,203.78.

The original insurance was for $7,000 on which assured had paid $3,203.78 in premiums, and these were returned to the beneficiary in addition to the face of the policies.

Mr. Trafton will be pleased to furnish rates for such policies upon application.

"EGYPTA'S" AUTHOR HERE.

William D. Cheney of Springfield, ill., the author of "Egypta," soon to be produced in Music hall, under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., arrived in Portsmouth Saturday and is registered at the Merrick. He will immediately begin the preparations for the performance.

OBITUARY.

Agnes Mary Akerly.

The death of Agnes, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Akerly, occurred at their home in Greenland on Sunday, at the age of three years.

HAULED OUT FOR REPAIRS.

Steamer Alice Howard was taken on the dock river line on Sunday and hauled out on the blocks at Cutts wharf, Kittery Point, where a leak in the hull was patched up. Steamer Columbia made the Alice Howard's trips during the day.

OBSEQUIES.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Gregg was held at two o'clock this afternoon, at the home of her parents on Vaughan street. Interment was in Harmony Grove cemetery.

GOLF GAMES.

The golf team of the Country club will play the Wentworth house team on the local links Wednesday afternoon, and on Saturday afternoon the same clubs meet on the Wentworth house links.

WORK ADVANCING FAST.

Work on the laying of the roof and the remodeling of the Spalding school building at the Creek is being rapidly pushed in order to get the building in condition for occupancy.

A GOOD JOB.

Street Commissioner Walley has done a good job on Maplewood avenue. Now the electric road people should clean up between the rails.

BARBERS' UNION.

The regular meeting of the Barbers' union will be held tomorrow (Tuesday) evening, when important matters will be considered.

VISITED BY BURGLARS.

C. E. Walker's Residence Broken Into Sunday Night.

Old Clothes Taken and Valuable Silverware Left Behind.

The Police Think It Was the Work of Amateurs.

Sometime during last night the residence of Charles E. Walker on Middle street was broken into and a lot of clothing carried away.

The thief or thieves gained entrance by removing a screen from one of the basement windows and crawling through into the cellar.

The door leading to the floor above was locked but an old file was brought into use and the door pried open. Access to all parts of the house was now easy.

The break was not discovered until this morning at 6.30 o'clock, when the sisters of Mrs. Walker, who were alone in the house, came down stairs and found the cellar door open. This caused them to look about and they soon saw that the house had been visited by burglars.

The police visited the house early this morning and made a thorough investigation of the premises. They are of the opinion that the work was that of amateurs, as the thieves had taken old clothes and left hundreds of dollars worth of solid silver ware on the sideboard. A purse with a sum of money in it was also left.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker are passing the summer in the mountains and it is supposed that the thieves thought the house unoccupied.

FOUNDATION ALL IN.

E. Keeler Co. Plant Will Be Ready In a Month, Probably.

In conversation with Mr. Mallory, representative of the E. Keeler company, this morning he stated that the foundation for the company's new plant at the Creek was all in and work on the building would be pushed as rapidly as possible. "I expect," said he, "to have the building ready for occupancy inside of a month or six weeks. Our machinery is already arriving and we will be at work making pipe before cold weather sets in. Two gangs will be worked and the plant run night and day for the next year or more."

PHELAN COMPANY ARRIVES.

The E. V. Phelan Stock company, which opens up Music hall this evening in A Wife's Devotion, arrived on train No. 11 yesterday morning and, if one may judge by appearances the strong claims made in advance for these artists are fully justified. Indeed a number of them are quite familiar to our theatre goers and at the various hotels appear names that on former visits have been identified with leading stars. Another indication of merit is the carload of scenery and furnishings which was subtracted here to await the opening of Sunday, when the transfer proceeded to move it to the Music hall stage. It is claimed for the company that in all the plays presented they use nothing belonging to the house whatever, except the lines with which the massive scenes are suspended from the ceiling of the theatre.

Evidently the reputation has preceded the company for never have such demands been made for seats for a popular priced attraction and all indications point to a week where the capacity of the house will be taxed at every performance.

Tonight A Wife's Devotion, with Moth and The Flame on tomorrow's bill.

BIG ENGINEERING FEAT.

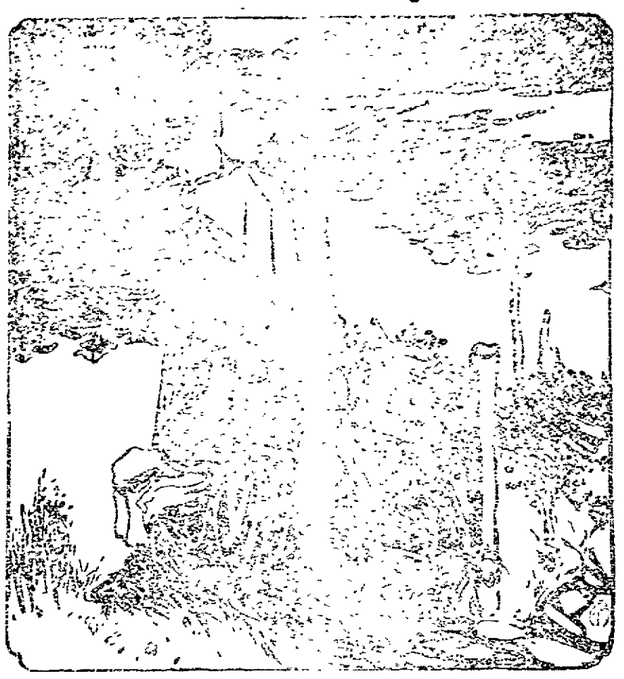
The men at Peshepsch, who are erecting the mills for the White Mountain Paper company, are installing a feature to perform the most difficult engineering feat of the job, which is to bore a tunnel from the main building to the water front. Compressed air will be used, and two air shafts will be sunk, one through solid rock at the building to a depth of forty-five feet, and the other at the end where the tunnel will come out. It will be six feet in diameter, and run fifty feet below the foundation of the building to the river bank, coming out seven feet below low water mark. This is for salt water for condensing purposes.

AT THE NORTH CHURCH.

Rev. John P. Jones, a missionary from Madura, India, preached in the North church on Sunday. Mr. Jones has been a very efficient missionary in that land over twenty years. He gave a deeply interesting account of the life and condition of the people there, and will soon give information of the progress of the gospel in that land. He is stopping with his family at Kittery Point this summer and is to return to India in November.

A blessing alike to young and old, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Nature's specific for dysentery, diarrhœa and summer complaint.

The Herald's Daily Puzzle.



WHERE IS THE PILGRIM TO THE JORDAN?

PERSONALS.

H. H. Dutton is in Dover today.

Henry McWilliams is visiting in Dover.

Fred Huntress was visiting in town Sunday.

H. P. Mowe was in Newburyport Sunday.

C. A. Parmenter passed Sunday at Hedding.

Frank Cunningham of Dover was here today.

George L. Collis went to The Weirs this morning.

Blake Schurman leaves today for Brattleboro, Vt.

Waldo Pickett is passing his vacation at Intervale.

Miss Margaret Goodwin is visiting in Somerville, Mass.

W. H. Conner of Newfields was a visitor in town today.

Fred L. Wood passed Sunday with his family in Farmington.

Victor Bailey of the Boston Herald and wife were in town Sunday.

Miss Adelaide Thurston has returned from a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Grace L. Manent left Sunday for a short stay in New York city.

John S. Tilton, Jr., passed Sunday with his parents on Badger's Island.

John W. Kelley came down from his summer home at Wolfeboro this morning.

Miss Alice Sullivan of New York is visiting her former home in this city.

Arthur I. Hartiman of Deer street, passed Sunday in Boston and Somerville.

Miss Lucy U. Sise is passing a few days with friends at the Appledore House.

Naval Constructor John F. Hasson, U. S. N., has returned from Bath, Me.

Mr. J. W. Berry of Maplewood, Mass., have been visiting in Rye the past week.

Alan Clark A. Soloway was here over Sunday and left this morning for Manchester.

Mrs. Albert Downs of Laconia is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lowis of Daniel street.

Miss Lillian Sibley of South street returned Saturday from a week's visit at Chatham, Mass.

Miss Caroline Tracy of Brookline, Mass., is the guest of Miss Dorothy Foster at the navy yard.

Paymaster C. M. Leckish, U. S. N., entertained his mother and sisters at the Isles of Shoals on Sunday.

Manager Ramsdell of the Oceanic house, Isles of Shoals, came in from the islands today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester J. Wheeler of Providence, R. I., are visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Walton and Mrs. Samuel Muzzey of Lowell passed Sunday the guests of friends in this city.

Mrs. W. A. Peirce and J. Winslow Peirce have returned home for a three weeks trip to New York and Saratoga.

Joseph Rand and family who live in the west, are visiting Mr. Rand's father, J. Sullivan Rand of Lafayette road.

Howard Jackson of Boston is passing a few days with his sister, Mrs. Arabella V. Washburn, of Middle street.

The little son of Assistant Marshal Hurley, who has been critically ill, is reported as being much improved this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Edwards of Brooklyn, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. Edwards's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Wendell.

Herman R. Fly, train dispatcher on the Southern division of the Boston and Maine railroad, was a Portsmouth visitor on Sunday.

Dr. Grace Savage of Boston, a graduate of Boston University, is the guest of Mrs. Caroline P. Stover and daughters on High street.

Terence McGrath left this morning over the Lake Shore road to attend the forty-first encampment of the late G. A. R. at The Weirs.

E. S. Stearns, editor of the Thomaston, Me., Herald, and a former resident of this city is in town as the guest of Fred B. Whitcomb.

Fred J. Allen of Boston formerly of this city passed Saturday as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Allen of Franklin street.

Charles H. Abbott, clerk in the money order department of the Boston post office, is spending his vacation at his home in this city.

Miss Alice C. Rand and Miss Emma Carrier were the guests of the Misses Cutler at Hampton Beach on Sunday.

Miss Ella Chamberlain of Boston is the guest of the Misses Lillian and Carrie Cutler at Hampton Beach. Miss Chamberlain whistles at the Farragut next Wednesday evening.

SCARCITY OF CLAMS.

The scarcity of clams in Hampton river has become quite a serious matter, and those who fully realize the condition, see the importance of a three months' law to protect them either in the spring or autumn, as clams do not grow to any extent in the winter season, and in the summer they are needed for food. It is said that the continued drain on the clam bank year after year will soon cause this succulent bivalve to become extinct if a remedy is not applied by a law.

PROSPECTS LOOK BRIGHT FOR GALE.

The friends of General Gale of Exeter are feeling much encouraged over the way his candidacy is being received throughout the state. Hundreds of letters are pouring into his office daily from prominent men in the party and those in charge of his campaign are enthusiastic over the success so far.

SAW THE MAINE.

Twenty-five or more people from this city and vicinity witnessed the trial of the new battleship Maine on Saturday from the tug M. Mitchell Davis. Capt. E. [illegible] Hoxton kindly [illegible] the passengers on the tug, had an excellent view of the monster battleship as it ploughed by.

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